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In connection with another matter, a source of this office talked to [redacted] at his residence, New York City, on 13 July 1965. (Various topics were covered during the interview and have been reported under separate memoranda.) Following are [redacted] comments (not verbatim) concerning [redacted]

[redacted] stated Martin Luther KING has already shown his hand by attacking the Administration and advocating a pull-out in Vietnam [redacted] insists that KING is compromised by his moral background and is probably controlled by Peking-line Communists);

[redacted] pointed out it must be remembered that while the convention was going on, Martin Luther KING issued a public statement denouncing U. S. policy and advocating pulling out of Vietnam.



